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House Resolution 1920

By: Representative Lindsey of the 54th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending the International Association of Special Investigator Units; and for other
- 2 purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, the International Association of Special Investigator Units will have their 23rd
- 4 annual seminar and exposition on insurance fraud in Atlanta, Georgia, on September 8, 2008,
- 5 attracting 800 to 1,200 attendees from the insurance industry, fraud bureaus, defense firms,
- 6 law enforcement agencies, the National Insurance Crime Bureau, as well as members from
- 7 Europe, South America, Canada, and Australia; and
- 8 WHEREAS, the International Association of Special Investigator Units is a professional
- 9 organization of over 4,000 insurance fraud investigators from around the world composed
- of claims personnel and law enforcement officers who are highly trained in the fight against
- 11 insurance fraud; and
- 12 WHEREAS, the International Association of Special Investigator Units provides the
- 13 premiere anti-fraud training and networking in the country; and
- 14 WHEREAS, insurance fraud is a very serious crime which can cost policyholders anywhere
- 15 from \$200 to \$1,000 per year in premium charges, and organized crime, both domestic and
- 16 foreign, are involved in perpetrating fraud; and
- 17 WHEREAS, terrorists are finding insurance fraud as a vehicle to fund their nefarious
- activities, and this financial drain impacts industry, communities, and citizens; and
- 19 WHEREAS, the International Association of Special Investigator Units is a pro-consumer
- 20 organization whose training allows its members to become experts in fighting fraud and
- 21 ultimately controlling the costs to customers; and

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1 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the International Association of Special

- 2 Investigator Units be appropriately recognized.
- $3\quad NOW, THEREFORE, BE\,IT\,RESOLVED\,BY\,THE\,HOUSE\,OF\,REPRESENTATIVES\,that$
- 4 the members of this body join together to commend the International Association of Special
- 5 Investigator Units.
- 6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is hereby
- 7 authorized and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the International
- 8 Association of Special Investigator Units.